

## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. CHARLES MARION GRANT will be hostess this afternoon in her apartment at the Shonard Hotel, from 4 to 5, when she will entertain her young friends, and later from 5 to 7, when her married friends will call. Mrs. Grant's mother, Mrs. Tenn. Mrs. Grant's mother, Mrs. Tenn. Mrs. Grant's mother, Mrs. Tenn.

To Leave for Sunset Hall. Miss Katherine Gunn leaves Monday for Sunset Hall, Huntington, to pursue her studies. Miss Gunn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gunn, 301 West Franklin Street, and is one of the most popular of the younger girls in Richmond's society set.

Stay-at-Home Whist Club. On Monday night the Stay-at-Home Whist Club met with Mrs. Thomas O'Reilly, at 200 East Franklin Street. Three tables played, the top score being made by Mrs. W. R. Robins and Mr. John Tyler. The next meeting of the club on Monday night will be with Mrs. Webster, at the Chesterfield.

Donation—Price. A marriage of much interest to the many Richmond friends of the bride and groom took place very quietly on yesterday at 3 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church at Montvale, Va., when Miss Lottie A. Price, daughter of the late Rev. P. B. Price, became the bride of Mr. Walter H. Douthat, formerly of Buchanan, Va., who now makes his home in California.

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Mrs. Asher at Club.

On Thursday afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock, Mrs. Asher, who is connected with the Chapman-Alexander movement, will speak before the members of the Woman's Club and their friends on her experience in "Prison Work." Mrs. Asher is a graceful speaker and has chosen for her subject a theme which is of vital interest to women of today.

The Audubon Society.

To-day at 4 o'clock the Audubon Society of Virginia will meet in the T. P. A. rooms at Third and Main Streets. A large attendance is desired of members and friends of the society, and all interested in its work.

Reception in Washington.

Mrs. Swanson, who returned to the city yesterday, attended the reception Monday night given by Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks in honor of the United States Senators. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt were among those invited. Mrs. Roosevelt, owing to a cold, was unable to be present.

The drawing rooms were beautifully decorated with pink roses and pots of pink azaleas, while in the hall screening the musicians—a section of the Marine Band—were palms and clusters of poinsettia blossoms. The Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks were assisted in receiving. Mrs. Fairbanks wore a beautiful gown of white and gold. Mrs. Warren Fairbanks, who was present, wore a gown of green satin, with a tunic of white spangled lace.

The guests, numbering about 1,500, included the Austrian ambassador and Baroness Hengemüller, the British ambassador and Mrs. Bryce, the Japanese ambassador and Baroness Takahira, the chiefs of the other embassies and legations, the members of the Cabinet, the justices of the Supreme Court and Senators and Representatives and their families. A buffet supper was served in the ballroom, where Miss Cannon, daughter of the Speaker of the House, and Mrs. Warren Fairbanks, daughter-in-law of the Vice-President, presided. Miss Cuyler to Wed.

Miss Agnes Cuyler, daughter of the late Captain Richard M. Cuyler, will be married at noon Thursday in the chapel of Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church, in Baltimore, to Mr. Edward Hammond, son of J. J. Hammond of Fonthill, Howard county, Maryland.

Mrs. Chaucney in New York. Mrs. Samuel Sloane Chaucney, of England, a famous American beauty, Miss Alice Carr, before her marriage in 1894 to a Brooklyn millionaire, arrived in New York Sunday on the White Star liner Celtic to attend the wedding of Miss Beatrice Mills to the Earl of Granard. Mrs. Chaucney has been living abroad since her husband's death, and her beauty and charming manner have made her quite popular and won her an enviable position in the best

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## MOST FASCINATING WOMAN



THE HON. MRS. GEORGE KEPPEL. She is greatly admired by King Edward, and has been described as the most fascinating woman in England. She received from an anonymous donor a lease on No. 2 Carlton House Terrace, one of the most desirable houses in London, as a Christmas present.

A younger sister of Mrs. Chaucney married Lord Newborough. Mrs. Lane at Boston Assembly.

Mrs. Gardner M. Lane, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Basil Gildersleeve, of Baltimore, and well known here in Richmond as the niece of Mrs. Annie B. Cannon, was among the handsomely dressed women at the dance of the Boston Assembly on Friday night last. Mrs. Lane wore a beautiful dress of pale blue satin with silver embroidery and silver tassels on the bodice, and a necklace of diamonds.

Tiller—Young. Mr. Thomas J. Tiller and Miss Minnie Gray Young were quietly married at the parsonage of the Rev. J. R. Hutson yesterday at noon. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Tiller left for Glen Allen, where they will make their future home.

The Jolly Juniors. A ball will be given by the Jolly Juniors for the benefit of the Sir Moses Montefiore Synagogue at Belvidere Hall, Wednesday, February 10, at 8:30 P. M.

Miss Watkins at Reception. Miss Eleanor Maynard was hostess Friday evening from 8:30 to 11 o'clock at a beautiful party at her home, in Hutton Street, Park View, Portsmouth, Maine, ferns and pink shaded candles decorated the parlors and library. In a cozy corner of the library Miss George Andrews served punch to the guests from a lovely Japanese punch bowl. Pink shaded candles carried out the color scheme in the dining-room, the centerpiece on the table being made of beautiful old lace. Music and dancing were the amusements of the evening. Mrs. T. P. Briggs served refreshments in the dining-room, Mrs. Harry L. Maynard served hot chocolate to the guests just before leaving. Among those present were Miss Elizabeth Watkins, from Richmond, and many others.

Personal Mention. Dr. Lewis Pendleton and Mrs. Pendleton, of Fredericks Hall, Loudoun county, are spending some days in Richmond, and are at 215 East Franklin Street.

Mrs. Lane Lacy, of Newport News, formerly Miss Katherine Copeland, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Granville G. Valentine.

Miss Estelle Crutchfield is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crutchfield, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. T. H. Ellett has just returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Nashville, Tenn. Her son, Mr. Edmund Benson, is still in Nashville.

Messrs. Chambers Elam and Allen Chambers have recently returned from a visit to Chase City.

Miss Louise Adams is visiting her cousins, the Adams Adams, of Newport News.

Mrs. George Davis and little daughter came to the city to be the guests of Mrs. John Gordon Farland, of East Grace Street. Mrs. Davis is a former Richmond resident, and has many friends here.

Miss Elizabeth Brander is the guest of Miss Madge Drummond, of Norfolk.

Miss Virginia Gresham has returned from a visit to Miss Florence Gravitt in Bowling Green.

Miss Madge Freedy is in Richmond after a visit to Mrs. J. E. Early, of Charlottesville.

Marlin—Jenkins. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, Va., January 12.—A pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, when Miss Mary B. Price, daughter of the late Rev. P. B. Price, became the bride of Mr. Walter H. Douthat, formerly of Buchanan, Va., who now makes his home in California.

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wood, a prominent merchant and banker of Waverly.

The groom, a sterling business young man, is the only son of the late George B. Burt, who was one of the largest lumber manufacturers in this section. Immediately after the ceremony the happy pair left for the Norfolk and Western, for Richmond, where they will spend the honeymoon at Palm Beach and other interesting Florida points, probably extending their tour to New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt will be at home in Waverly about the 15th of February.

Eshelman—Brenner.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HIGH POINT, N. C., January 12.—This morning at 10 o'clock Mr. J. Alfred Eshelman, of this city, was married to Miss Helen Bonner, at the home of the bride, 10 Cary, the Rev. J. E. Whomerson, of High Point, officiating.

The groom's brother, Mr. P. Ward Eshelman, acted as best man, and Mrs. Page, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. The groom is a son of Mr. A. F. Eshelman, and the matron of the Red Book agency in High Point.

Pitts—Fitzhugh.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] FREDERICKSBURG, Va., January 12.—Arthur Morrison Pitts, of Selma, Ala., and Miss Grace Lee Fitzhugh, daughter of Mrs. George Downman, of Selma, Ala., were married on Monday night at the home of the bride's mother at Blount Springs, Ala. The parents of Mrs. Pitts formerly resided here and have many relatives and friends in this section. The bride is a niece of Captain H. B. Fitzhugh, Mr. Samuel Fitzhugh and Mrs. L. C. Mitchell, of this city.

Freeman—Moore.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HAMPTON, Va., January 12.—Gracie Freeman, chief baker at the National Soldiers' Home, and Miss Nettie Moore were married in Emma's Baptist Church, York county, this afternoon.

COPY OF RYAN'S BOOK

Handsome Volume Presented to Virginia Historical Society.

The January meeting of the executive committee of the Virginia Historical Society was held on Monday night, January 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCabe in the chair, and Messrs. E. V. Valentine, D. C. Richardson, C. V. Meredith, S. S. P. Patterson, W. G. Standard, S. H. Yonge, W. Meade Clark, Daniel Grinnan and J. P. McGuire, Jr.

The most important book reported as received since the last meeting was "The London Company of Virginia," containing very handsome photographs of the Ryan collection of portraits of persons connected with the settlement of Virginia. This beautiful book, of which only 300 copies were printed, was prepared for Mr. T. F. Ryan, and no copies are for sale.

The committee authorized the copying of the manuscript volume of reports of cases in Colonial courts by Edward Banadall and Sir John Randolph. This volume, together with a much larger one of Banadall's reports in the State Law Library, is to be published by a Boston firm under the most competent editorship of R. T. Barton, of Winchester, Va.

The time of the monthly meetings of the committee was changed from the second Monday to the second Thursday in each month.

The following new members were elected: Miss Virginia R. Elliot and Messrs. James E. Heath, Rolfe E. Glover, J. Linwood Antrim, William O. Skelton, St. George T. C. Bryan, John I. Grinnan, R. Carter Walker and Dr. Edward Eggleston, of Virginia; Charles Lewis, of Ohio, and William B. Phelps, of Minnesota.

AFTER INSURANCE MEN

Richmond Making Strong Bid for Next Convention of New York Agents.

Chairman P. M. Fry, of the Chamber of Commerce, committee on conventions, will today appear before the convention of the New York Life Agents' Association, now in session at Hot Springs, and present invitations for the association to hold its next meeting in this city. In addition to the invitation from the chamber, Mr. Fry will read letters from Governor Swanson and Mayor Richardson, extending the courtesies of the city.

Business Manager Danby, of the chamber, was to have represented the city, but was unable to go to Hot Springs because of the annual meeting of the assembly of the Chamber of Commerce to be held to-morrow night.

The New York Life Agents' Association would bring to the city more than 600 of the most influential insurance men of that State. The letters set forth the fact that Richmond is the ideal convention city, paying due attention to the climate, railroad facilities and hotel accommodations.

Supervisors Spend Much Time Examining Books—Contract for Painting Because of the work in connection with the examination of the magistrates' books, the Henrico county Board of Supervisors was in session at the courthouse all day yesterday. The board had intended at this meeting to pay a visit to the county almshouse and make certain recommendations for the improvement of the conditions and the comfort of the inmates but this had to be postponed.

The contract for the painting of the inside and out, was awarded to W. J. James, of this city. Architect Charles K. Bryant was instructed to prepare plans for the erection of a new barn house at the poor-house. The inspection tour will be made at the next session of the board.

WILL FILE PETITION

Commissioner Said That State Case Will Be Heard in State Court.

Attorneys for the State and the railroad, in the 2-cent rate litigation, after consultation with Attorney-General Anderson yesterday appeared before the State Corporation Commission and gave notice to the members of that body that a petition would shortly be filed asking a rehearing of argument before the State Supreme Court of Appeals.

The petition will be filed on the ruling of the Supreme Court of the United States that before the case can be heard before that tribunal it must be heard in the State Supreme Court.

WESTFELDT'S WIN CASE

Heirs of Wealthy North Carolinian Win in United States Court of Appeals.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday rendered a decision reversing the decision of the District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, in the case of the heirs of George Westfeldt vs. W. S. Adams and the North Carolina Mining

## Uses a Steinway Piano in Chapman-Alexander Meetings

Mr. Robert Harkness, pianist and composer, who is with Dr. Chapman and Alexander in their meetings at the Auditorium, prefers a Steinway Piano to all others, and will use none other. Read this letter from Rev. Thomas Semmes, rector St. Andrew's Church and city chairman:

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Company. The reversal was based on the lack of jurisdiction of the lower court.

The case involves the ownership of land valued at approximately \$1,000,000, which is alleged to have been purchased in 1859 by Westfield, but which he could not locate during his lifetime. Adams, who also claims ownership of lands in that part of the country, recently found copper there and started in the mining business. Relatives of Westfield located the lands, which they claimed as a heritage, and took their claims to the State courts.

The Westfeldts won their case in the State Court, but the decision was reversed in the State Court of Appeals. Later the United States District Court confirmed the Supreme Court, and the decision yesterday practically reversed proceedings to the original verdict.

State Food Commissioner Makes His Report in Letter to Governor Swanson.

William C. Saunders, Dairy and Food Commissioner for the Department of Agriculture, yesterday sent to Governor Swanson his report resulting from a general inspection of dairies in the State. The commissioner's report is contained in the following letter:

"Replying further to your letter of December 23d, I have the honor to inclose herewith a summary of inspections of dairies made by this department during the period that this office has been in operation, and practically up to the date of this communication.

"You will observe that a large majority of the dairies have been found in 'fair' condition, and some of them in 'very good' condition. At the same time there are others which have been reported as 'unsatisfactory,' and but very few of them in 'bad' condition. Our inspectors have indicated in such cases that this department would not tolerate any such conditions, and subsequent inspections have shown that such conditions, in most cases, have been very much improved.

"In the case of some dairies, we have found them to be so located that the matter of keeping them in good condition has been almost impossible; in such cases, if for any reason they should be closed, this department proposes that dairies shall not be permitted to start business again under such conditions. The conditions referred to above exist mainly in dairies located in basements, and it is the purpose of this department to see that the destruction of germs should give the public the assurance that the possibility of the transmission of disease through the medium of such products is practically very remote.

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## CAN SELL LAUDANUM

Turner's Pharmacy Committed No Violation of Law, as Investigation Shows.

Investigation disclosed yesterday, to the surprise of many people, that the sale of laudanum without a physician's prescription is not prohibited by law, and therefore Turner's Pharmacy, No. 230 East Main Street, committed no violation of the law in selling the drug to Mrs. Bertha Morris, of No. 513 North Eighteenth Street, or to somebody else on her order.

There was a mistaken impression that laudanum was classed with other proscribed drugs, and no the matter was reported to the police. As soon as the law on the subject was looked into it was seen that no violation had been committed, and the matter was dropped.

HONORS REQUISITION

Governor Swanson Signs Papers for Return of Norfolk Lawyer to North Carolina.

Governor Swanson yesterday granted a requisition from the Governor of North Carolina for the return of T. C. Wheelbee, a Norfolk lawyer, who is alleged to be a fugitive from justice from Mendocino county, in the Far West State. Wheelbee, who has been practicing law in Norfolk for some months, is wanted for alleged misappropriation of funds, which he is said to have received in selling stock of the Semholse Securities Company.

C. M. GREGORY FINED FOR PETTY LARCENY

C. M. Gregory, charged with taking from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway household goods to the amount of \$800, was convicted in the Circuit Court of Henrico county yesterday afternoon of petty larceny and fined \$50. In default of the fine he was remanded to jail. The trial of the case consumed most of the day, and it was not until after 5 o'clock that the jury returned the verdict of guilty. Gregory says he will soon produce the money, and regrets the case only in so far as it affects his good name.

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